

Annette Hanshaw

Catherine Annette Hanshaw (October 18, 1901 – March 13, 1985) was an American Jazz Age singer. She was one of the most popular radio stars of the late 1920s and early 1930s. Over four million of her records had been sold by 1934.

In her ten-year recording career, she recorded about 250 sides. In a 1934 poll conducted by *Radio Stars* magazine, she received the title of best female popular singer (Bing Crosby was voted the best male popular singer). Second place went to Ethel Shutta, third place went to Ruth Etting, and fourth place went to Kate Smith.

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Birth and Death Data: Born October 18, 1901 ([Manhattan](#)), Died March 13, 1985 ([New York City](#))

Date Range of DAHR Recordings: 1928 - 1931

Roles Represented in DAHR: vocalist, lyricist



● = Recordings are available for online listening.

○ = Recordings were issued from this master. No recordings issued from other masters.

Recordings

Company	Matrix No.	Size	First Recording Date	Title	Primary Performer	Description	Role	Audio
Columbia	146432	10-in.	6/12/1928	Was it a dream?	Frank Ferera's Hawaiian Trio ; Annette Hanshaw	Instrumental trio, with female vocal solo	vocalist	
Columbia	146433	10-in.	6/12/1928	For old times' sake	Frank Ferera's Hawaiian Trio ; Annette Hanshaw	Instrumental trio, with female vocal solo	vocalist	
Columbia	W146450	10-in.	6/14/1928	Get out and get under the moon	Annette Hanshaw	Female vocal solo, with violin, cello, and piano	vocalist	
Columbia	[W]146791	10-in.	7/24/1928	I can't give you anything but love	Annette Hanshaw and her Sizzlin' Syncopators	Female vocal solo, with jazz/dance band	vocalist	
Columbia	[W]146792	10-in.	7/24/1928	I must have that man!	Annette Hanshaw and her Sizzlin' Syncopators	Female vocal solo, with jazz/dance band	vocalist	
Columbia	[W]146833	10-in.	8/10/1928	Get out and get under the moon	Frank Ferera's Hawaiian Trio ; Annette Hanshaw	Instrumental trio (Hawaiian), with female vocal solo	vocalist	
Columbia	[W]146834	10-in.	8/10/1928	Lonely nights in Hawaii	Frank Ferera's Hawaiian Trio ; Annette Hanshaw	Instrumental trio (Hawaiian), with female vocal solo	vocalist	
Columbia	[W]146920	10-in.	8/31/1928	Chiquita	Frank Ferera's Hawaiian Trio ; Annette Hanshaw	Instrumental trio (Hawaiian), with female vocal solo	vocalist	
Columbia	[W]146921	10-in.	8/31/1928	Maui girl	Frank Ferera's Hawaiian Trio ; Annette Hanshaw	Instrumental trio (Hawaiian), with female vocal solo	vocalist	
Columbia	[W]146993	10-in.	9/13/1928	That's just my way of forgetting you	Gay Ellis ; University Six	Female vocal solo, with instrumental sextet	vocalist	
Columbia	[W]146994	10-in.	9/13/1928	High up on a hill-top	Gay Ellis ; University Six	Female vocal solo, with instrumental sextet	vocalist	
Columbia	[W]147153	10-in.	10/19/1928	If you want the rainbow (You must have the rain)	Gay Ellis and her Novelty Orchestra	Female vocal solo, with jazz/dance band	vocalist	
Columbia	[W]147154	10-in.	10/19/1928	My blackbirds are bluebirds now	Gay Ellis and her Novelty Orchestra	Female vocal solo, with jazz/dance band	vocalist	
Columbia	[W]147451	10-in.	11/8/1928	You're the cream in my coffee	Annette Hanshaw and her Sizzlin' Syncopators	Female vocal solo, with jazz/dance band	vocalist	
Columbia	[W]147452	10-in.	11/8/1928	My inspiration is you	Annette Hanshaw and her Sizzlin' Syncopators	Female vocal solo, with jazz/dance band	vocalist	

Columbia	[W]147453	10-in.	11/9/1928	Sonny boy	Frank Ferera's Hawaiian Trio ; Annette Hanshaw	Instrumental trio (Hawaiian), with female vocal solo	vocalist
Columbia	[W]147454	10-in.	11/9/1928	Sweet lei lehua	Frank Ferera's Hawaiian Trio ; Annette Hanshaw	Instrumental trio (Hawaiian), with female vocal solo	vocalist
Columbia	[W]147482	10-in.	11/22/1928	I wanna be loved by you	Annette Hanshaw	Female vocal solo, with orchestra	vocalist
Columbia	[W]147483	10-in.	11/22/1928	Is there anything wrong in that?	Annette Hanshaw	Female vocal solo, with orchestra	vocalist
Columbia	[W]147774	10-in.	1/11/1929	Carolina moon	Gay Ellis ; Frank Ferera's Hawaiian Trio	Instrumental trio (Hawaiian), with female vocal solo	vocalist
Columbia	[W]147775	10-in.	1/11/1929	Maui chimes	Gay Ellis ; Frank Ferera's Hawaiian Trio	Instrumental trio, with female vocal solo	vocalist
Columbia	[W]147787	10-in.	1/17/1929	I faw down an' go boom!	Dot Dare	Female vocal solo, with instrumental quintet	vocalist
Columbia	[W]147788	10-in.	1/17/1929	Don't be like that	Dot Dare	Female vocal solo, with instrumental quintet	vocalist
Columbia	[W]147855	10-in.	1/17/1929	In a great big way	Connecticut Yankees ; Annette Hanshaw	Female vocal solo, with jazz/dance band	vocalist
Columbia	[W]147856	10-in.	1/17/1929	When the world is at rest	Connecticut Yankees ; Annette Hanshaw	Female vocal solo, with jazz/dance band	vocalist
Columbia	[W]147974	10-in.	2/20/1929	A precious little thing called love	Annette Hanshaw ; Selvin's Orchestra	Female vocal solo, with jazz/dance band	vocalist
Columbia	[W]147976	10-in.	2/20/1929	Mean to me	Gay Ellis and her Orchestra	Female vocal solo, with jazz/dance band	vocalist
Columbia	[W]148076	10-in.	3/14/1929	Button up your overcoat	Patsy Young	Female vocal solo	vocalist
Columbia	[W]148077	10-in.	3/14/1929	I want to be bad	Patsy Young	Female vocal solo	vocalist
Columbia	[W]148082	10-in.	3/15/1929	Lover, come back to me!	Annette Hanshaw	Female vocal solo	vocalist
Columbia	[W]148083	10-in.	3/15/1929	You wouldn't fool me, would you?	Annette Hanshaw	Female vocal solo	vocalist
Columbia	[W]148181	10-in.	4/5/1929	That's you, baby	Annette Hanshaw	Female vocal solo	vocalist
Columbia	[W]148182	10-in.	4/5/1929	Big city blues	Annette Hanshaw	Female vocal solo	vocalist
Columbia	[W]148393	10-in.	4/30/1929	My sin	Annette Hanshaw ; The New Englanders	Female vocal solo, with jazz/dance band	vocalist
Columbia	[W]148394	10-in.	4/30/1929	I get the blues when it rains	Annette Hanshaw ; The New Englanders	Female vocal solo, with jazz/dance band	vocalist
Columbia	[W]148489	10-in.	5/9/1929	I've got a feeling I'm falling	Annette Hanshaw ; The New Englanders	Female vocal solo, with jazz/dance band	vocalist
Columbia	[W]148490	10-in.	5/9/1929	The one in the world	Annette Hanshaw ; The New Englanders	Female vocal solo, with jazz/dance band	vocalist
Columbia	[W]148647	10-in.	5/31/1929	Am I blue?	Annette Hanshaw ; The New Englanders	Female vocal solo, with jazz/dance band	vocalist
Columbia	[W]148648	10-in.	5/31/1929	Daddy, won't you please come home?	Annette Hanshaw ; The New Englanders	Female vocal solo, with jazz/dance band	vocalist
Columbia	[W]148655	10-in.	6/4/1929	Pagan love song	Frank Ferera's Hawaiian Trio ; Annette Hanshaw	Instrumental trio (Hawaiian), with female vocal solo	vocalist
Columbia	[W]148656	10-in.	6/4/1929	Ua like no a like	Frank Ferera's Hawaiian Trio ; Annette Hanshaw	Instrumental trio (Hawaiian), with female vocal solo	vocalist
Columbia	[W]148848	10-in.	7/24/1929	Here we are	Gay Ellis ; The New Englanders	Female vocal solo, with jazz/dance band	vocalist
Columbia	[W]148849	10-in.	7/24/1929	True blue Lou	Gay Ellis	Female vocal solo, with jazz/dance band	vocalist
Columbia	[W]148907	10-in.	8/20/1929	Singin' in the rain	Frank Ferera's Hawaiian Trio ; Annette Hanshaw	Instrumental trio (Hawaiian), with female vocal solo	vocalist
Columbia	[W]148908	10-in.	8/20/1929	Forget-me-not	Frank Ferera's Hawaiian Trio ; Annette Hanshaw	Instrumental trio (Hawaiian), with female vocal solo	vocalist

Columbia	[W]149008	10-in.	9/16/1929	Tip-toe thru' the tulips with me	Gay Ellis	Female vocal solo, with instrumental ensemble	vocalist
Columbia	[W]149009	10-in.	9/16/1929	What wouldn't I do for that man	Gay Ellis	Female vocal solo, with instrumental ensemble	vocalist
Columbia	[W]149088	10-in.	10/3/1929	Till your happiness happens along	Jack Miller ; The New Englanders	Male vocal solo, with jazz/dance band	lyricist
Columbia	149142	10-in.	10/15/1929	Till your happiness happens along	Mayflower Orchestra ; Julie Wintz ; Marvin Young [Irving Kaufman]	Jazz/dance band, with male vocal solo	lyricist
Columbia	[W]149195	10-in.	10/28/1929	He's so unusual	Patsy Young	Female vocal solo	vocalist
Columbia	[W]149196	10-in.	10/28/1929	I think you'll like it	Patsy Young	Female vocal solo	vocalist
Columbia	W149441	10-in.	11/19/1929	Sweet one	Jack Miller	Male vocal solo, with piano	lyricist
Columbia	[W]149645	10-in.	11/27/1929	When I am housekeeping for you	The Paramounteers [Irvin Brodsky Orchestra]	Jazz/dance band, with female vocal solo	vocalist
Columbia	[W]149646	10-in.	11/27/1929	I have to have you	Frank Auburn and his Orchestra [Selvin's Orchestra] ; Annette Hanshaw	Jazz/dance band, with female vocal solo	vocalist
Columbia	[W]149647	10-in.	11/27/1929	Ain'tcha?	Annette Hanshaw	Jazz/dance band, with female vocal solo	vocalist
Columbia	[W]149676	10-in.	12/4/1929	I'm a dreamer, aren't we all?	Annette Hanshaw ; Three Blue Streaks	Female vocal solo, with instrumental trio	vocalist
Columbia	[W]149677	10-in.	12/4/1929	If I had a talking picture of you	Annette Hanshaw ; Three Blue Streaks	Female vocal solo, with instrumental trio	vocalist
Columbia	[W]149730	10-in.	1/3/1930	When I am house-keeping for you	Annette Hanshaw ; Sam Lanin Orchestra	Jazz/dance band, with female vocal solo	vocalist
Columbia	[W]149937	10-in.	1/30/1930	Happy days are here again	Sid Garry ; Hotel Pennsylvania Music [Phil Spitalny Orchestra]	Jazz/dance band, with male vocal solo	vocalist
Columbia	[W]149939	10-in.	1/30/1930	Cooking breakfast for the one I love	Annette Hanshaw ; Hotel Pennsylvania Music [Phil Spitalny Orchestra]	Jazz/dance band, with female vocal solo	vocalist
Columbia	[W]149940	10-in.	1/30/1930	When a woman loves a man	Hotel Pennsylvania Music [Phil Spitalny Orchestra]	Jazz/dance band, with female vocal solo	vocalist
Columbia	[W]149973	10-in.	2/11/1930	I'm following you!	Gay Ellis	Female vocal solo, with jazz/dance band	vocalist
Columbia	W149974	10-in.	2/11/1930	What do I care?	Gay Ellis	Female vocal solo, with orchestra	vocalist
Columbia	[W]149975	10-in.	2/11/1930	Happy days are here again	Annette Hanshaw and her Boys	Female vocal solo, with male vocal trio and jazz/dance band	vocalist
Columbia	150076	10-in.	3/10/1930	Lazy Lou'siana moon	Gay Ellis ; Frank Ferera's Hawaiian Trio	Instrumental trio (Hawaiian), with female vocal solo and cornet solo	vocalist
Columbia	[W]150077	10-in.	3/10/1930	Pale blue waters	Frank Ferera's Hawaiian Trio ; Annette Hanshaw	Instrumental trio (Hawaiian), with female vocal solo and cornet solo	vocalist
Columbia	[W]150077	10-in.	3/10/1930	Lazy Lou'siana moon	Frank Ferera's Hawaiian Trio ; Annette Hanshaw	Instrumental trio (Hawaiian), with female vocal solo and cornet solo	vocalist
Columbia	[W]150387	10-in.	5/5/1930	Telling it to the daisies (But it never gets back to you)	Annette Hanshaw and her Sizzlin' Syncopators	Female vocal solo, with jazz/dance band	vocalist
Columbia	[W]150388	10-in.	5/5/1930	I've got it (But it don't do me no good)	Annette Hanshaw and her Sizzlin' Syncopators	Female vocal solo, with jazz/dance band	vocalist
Columbia	[W]150480	10-in.	4/17/1930	I love a ukulele	Gay Ellis ; Frank Ferera's Hawaiian Trio	Instrumental trio (Hawaiian), with female vocal solo	vocalist
Columbia	[W]150481	10-in.	4/17/1930	It happened in Monterey	Frank Ferera's Hawaiian Trio ; Annette Hanshaw	Instrumental trio (Hawaiian), with female vocal solo	vocalist
Columbia	[W]150587	10-in.	6/16/1930	If I had a girl like you	Annette Hanshaw	Female vocal solo, with jazz/dance band	vocalist

Columbia	[W]150588	10-in.	6/16/1930	My future just passed	Annette Hanshaw	Female vocal solo	vocalist
Columbia	[W]150651	10-in.	7/21/1930	Little white lies	Annette Hanshaw	Female vocal solo, with instrumental ensemble	vocalist
Columbia	[W]150652	10-in.	7/21/1930	Nobody cares if I'm blue	Gay Ellis	Female vocal solo	vocalist
Columbia	[W]150653	10-in.	7/21/1930	I want a good man (And I want him bad)	Annette Hanshaw	Female vocal solo, with jazz/dance band	vocalist
Columbia	[W]150654	10-in.	7/21/1930	The way I feel today	Annette Hanshaw	Female vocal solo, with instrumental ensemble	vocalist
Columbia	[W]150863	10-in.	10/7/1930	Body and soul	Annette Hanshaw	Female vocal solo, with instrumental ensemble	vocalist
Columbia	[W]150864	10-in.	10/7/1930	Wasting my love on you	Annette Hanshaw	Female vocal solo, with instrumental ensemble	vocalist
Columbia	W150898	10-in.	10/21/1930	Yes indeedy (He do)	Annette Hanshaw	Female vocal solo	vocalist
Columbia	W150899	10-in.	10/21/1930	Now I know (I love you)	Annette Hanshaw	Female vocal solo	vocalist
Columbia	[W]151223	10-in.	1/16/1931	I'll lock you in my arms	Annette Hanshaw	Female vocal solo	vocalist
Columbia	[W]151224	10-in.	1/16/1931	Crying to the moon	Annette Hanshaw	Female vocal solo, with instrumental ensemble	vocalist
Columbia	[W]151234	10-in.	1/20/1931	I hate myself (For falling in love with you)	Annette Hanshaw	Female vocal solo	vocalist
Columbia	[W]151235	10-in.	1/20/1931	You're the one I care for	Annette Hanshaw	Female vocal solo, with instrumental ensemble	vocalist
Columbia	[W]151236	10-in.	1/20/1931	Would you like to take a walk (Sump'n good'll come from that)	Annette Hanshaw	Female vocal solo, with instrumental ensemble	vocalist
Columbia	W151237	10-in.	1/20/1931	Walkin' my baby back home	Annette Hanshaw	Female vocal solo	vocalist
Columbia	[W]151331	10-in.	2/18/1931	Ever since time began	Annette Hanshaw	Female vocal solo	vocalist
Columbia	[W]151332	10-in.	2/18/1931	Walkin' my baby back home	Annette Hanshaw	Female vocal solo	vocalist
Columbia	[W]151333	10-in.	2/18/1931	You're just too sweet for words, honey o'mine	Annette Hanshaw	Female vocal solo, with instrumental ensemble	vocalist
Columbia	W365007	10-in.	5/9/1931	There ought to be a moonlight saving time	Annette Hanshaw	Female vocal solo	vocalist
Columbia	W365008	10-in.	5/9/1931	Ho hum!	Annette Hanshaw	Female vocal solo	vocalist
Columbia	W365034	10-in.	9/22/1931	Guilty	Annette Hanshaw	Female vocal solo, with instrumental ensemble	vocalist
Columbia	W365035	10-in.	9/22/1931	I don't know why (I just do)	Annette Hanshaw	Female vocal solo, with instrumental ensemble	vocalist
OKeh	W402887	10-in.	8/29/1929	Moanin' low	Annette Hanshaw	Female vocal solo, with orchestra	vocalist
OKeh	W402888	10-in.	8/29/1929	Lovable and sweet	Annette Hanshaw	Female vocal solo, with orchestra	vocalist
OKeh	W403080	10-in.	10/18/1929	The right kind of man	Annette Hanshaw	Female vocal solo, with orchestra	vocalist
OKeh	W403081	10-in.	10/18/1929	If I can't have you (If you can't have me)	Annette Hanshaw	Female vocal solo, with orchestra	vocalist
OKeh	W403499	10-in.	12/16/1929	When I am housekeeping for you	Annette Hanshaw	Female vocal solo, with jazz/dance band	vocalist
OKeh	W403521	10-in.	12/16/1929	I have to have you	Annette Hanshaw	Female vocal solo, with jazz/dance band	vocalist
OKeh	W403692	10-in.	1/27/1930	Cooking breakfast for the one I love	Annette Hanshaw	Female vocal solo, with jazz/dance band	vocalist
OKeh	W403693	10-in.	1/27/1930	When a woman loves a man	Annette Hanshaw	Female vocal solo, with jazz/dance band	vocalist
OKeh	W403771	10-in.	2/25/1930	Cooking breakfast for the one I love	Lanin's Famous Players	Jazz/dance band, with female vocal solo	vocalist
OKeh	W403847	10-in.	3/11/1930	(The one I love) Just can't be bothered with me	Annette Hanshaw	Female vocal solo, with jazz/dance band	vocalist
OKeh	W403848	10-in.	3/11/1930	With you	Annette Hanshaw	Female vocal solo, with jazz/dance band	vocalist